Undergraduate Research and Innovation (URI)
Phase-1 Student Seed Grants
Spring 2016
Proposal Submission Deadline: March 1, 2016

NJIT 2020 Vision strategic plan emphasizes providing undergraduate students an outstanding education with opportunities to have research and innovation experience as part of their NJIT learning enabling them to succeed and assume leadership roles in our society.

The Undergraduate Research and Innovation (URI) program has evolved as a significant part of the education and research experience at NJIT. The URI website http://centers.njit.edu/uri/ summarizes undergraduate research and innovation opportunities and provides information about resources and competitions.

We are pleased to announce the Undergraduate Research and Innovation Phase-1 Student Grant (URISG) program to provide students an award of $500 per project to pursue research or develop proof-of-concept prototypes. Funds can only be used to order project supplies and prototyping through the Office of Undergraduate Research and Innovation.

All projects proposals should be submitted by March 1, 2016. Awardee will have access to funds to start the project as early as spring break and will present progress report at the URI workshop in May 2016. Students may also apply their extended proposal to Provost Summer Research Fellowships for summer stipend awards to continue working during the summer 2016.

Proposal Submission Deadlines:

- Please download the Call for Proposals and information on URI Phase-1 Student Project Grant Proposal Format Guidelines on URI website http://centers.njit.edu/uri/programs/index.php.
- Students working with a faculty member may submit research and innovation proposals in the required format by March 1, 2016 by email to Ms. Angela Retino at aretino@njit.edu.
- All proposals will be reviewed to select up to 15 finalist proposals for presentation to the External Advisory Board in the URI Workshop to be held on March 7, 2016 at the Campus Center Ballroom A from 2.00 PM to 5.00 PM.

Expected number of awards: up to 15

Any questions about the program or Information Session should be directed to Ms. Angela Retino, URI Program Administrator, at aretino@njit.edu.